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FOR

: LAMINATE, METHOD FOR PRODUCING SAME AND USE OF A LAMINATE ESPECIALLY AS A MEDICINAL SUPPORT MATERIAL

Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Sir:

This communication is in response to the office action of May 21,

2002.

Entry of the amendment and consideration of the remarks are respectfully requested.

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claim 7

Amend claims 1 and 4 as follows: